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Brine Spill Reported In Billings County

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) has been notified of a brine spill at a well site owned by Slawson Exploration Company, Inc., in Billings County approximately 10 miles northwest of Belfield. The incident occurred on August 28 as a result of a tank leak. It was reported on September 4.

Initial estimates indicate approximately 350 barrels of brine were released.

The United States Forest Service has been on site and the NDDoH is enroute. The NDDoH will work with the company on a remediation plan.

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